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From: David W. Heid

Subject: Abandoned Application

Serial No. 09/008,525

Client/File: AB-778 US

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**Dear Ms. Flannigan: Pursuant to our conversation today, I am re-submitting copies of these documents in question. Thank you for your consideration.**

**Original Message sent April 13, 2001:**

Dear Ms. Flannigan:

Please let us know the status of application 09/008,525 and let us know of any actions we need to take to continue prosecution.

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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Sheila Henriquez  
Secretary to David W. Heid (Reg. No. 25,875)

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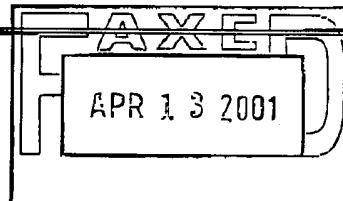
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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO./TITLE
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09/008,525 01/16/98 PARK

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SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO  
1200 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE N W  
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DATE MAILED:

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NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(f) or (g)  
(*Filing Date Granted*)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on April 15, 1998.

No reply was received.

The reply received on \_\_\_\_\_ was untimely.

The reply received on \_\_\_\_\_ was improper. The reply did not include:

- 1. The surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) required for filing the basic filing fee or oath or declaration on a date later than the filing date of a nonprovisional application.
- 2. The surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(i) required for filing the basic filing fee or cover sheet on a date later than the filing date of a provisional application.
- 3. The full amount of the basic filing fee under 37 CFR 1.16 (a), (f), (g), (k).

*(Note: A nonprovisional application may not be relied on for benefits under 35 U.S.C. 120 and 37 CFR 1.78 unless the processing and retention fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.21(l) is paid within the one year period set forth in 37 CFR 1.53(f). A provisional application may not be relied on for benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) and 37 CFR 1.78 unless the basic filing fee is paid.)*

- 4. The oath or declaration of all the inventors required under 37 CFR 1.63 for this nonprovisional application.

The letter of Express Abandonment filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is acknowledged; however, the application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice as indicated above.

A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNAVOIDABLE DELAY must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(c).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNINTENTIONAL DELAY must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(c).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282.

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Serial No.: 09/008,525  
Filed: January 16, 1998  
Atty Docket No.: AB-778 US

ENCLOSED:

1. This Return Receipt Postcard;
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3. Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
4. Copy of Notice of Abandonment; and
5. Copy of Response to Missing Parts (7 pages plus copy of return postcard).

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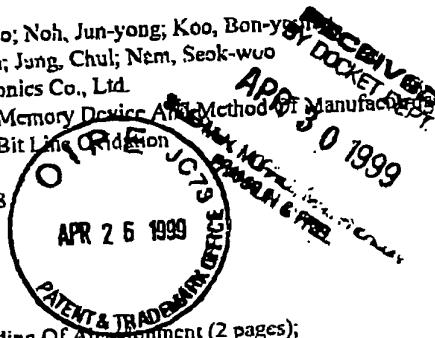
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PTO RECEIPT FOR INDICATED ITEMSAppn. No: 09 / 008.525Inventor(s) PARK, Young-woo ,et al.Atty WLG  
Date 6-29-98  
Ref. No.: 1834-1Title: Method for Manufacturing Semiconductor  
Memory Devices For Preventing Bit-Line Oxidation

The following is/are enclosed:

Amendment  
 # No. of Pages Abstract  
 # No. of Pages Spec and Claims  
 # No. of numbered Claims only  
 # No. Sheets per set Drawings:  
 # 1 Declaration       1 set Formal  
 # 1 Assignment       1 set Informal  
 # No. of Priority Documents

[ ] IDS including PTO-1449     [ ] cited docs  
 Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85(b)

\$280 Fee Charge To Deposit Account # 19-0124  
Other: Notice to File Missing Parts of Application

CURRENT DUE DATE: 6/15/98

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04/15/98

**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**  
**Filing Date Granted**

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Application is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of  \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or  \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

*If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a*  
 *small entity (statement filed)*  *non-small entity is \$ 130.00*

1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- missing.
- insufficient.

*Applicant must submit \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*

2. Additional claim fees of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, including any multiple dependent claim fees, are required.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ independent claims over 3.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ dependent claims over 20.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

*Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.*

3. The oath or declaration:

- is missing or unexecuted.
- does not cover the newly submitted items.
- does not identify the application to which it applies.
- does not include the city and state or foreign country of applicant's residence.

*An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.*

4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*

5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

*An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*

6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

8. The application does not comply with the Sequence Rules.

*See attached "Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825."*

9. OTHER:

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application  
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
1834-1

In Re Application Of: PARK, Young-woo, et al.

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
9008525	1/16/98	Not Assigned	2811

Invention: Method For Manufacturing Semiconductor Memory Device For Preventing Bit Line Oxidation

**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

**Box Missing Parts**

Completion of application fees as calculated below:

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- Utility application filing fee \_\_\_\_\_
- Design application filing fee \_\_\_\_\_
- Total number of independent claims = \_\_\_\_\_
- Total number of claims = \_\_\_\_\_
- Multiple dependent claims \_\_\_\_\_
- Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath \$130.00
- Petition and fee for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the invention \_\_\_\_\_
- Fee for processing an application filed with a non-English language specification \_\_\_\_\_
- Fee for processing and retention of application \_\_\_\_\_

Total completion of application fees \$130.00

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the above-identified Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired). If an additional time extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months

from: June 15, 1998  
*Date*

until: June 29, 1998  
*Date*

Total time extension fees \$110.00

Total fees due \$240.00

**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application  
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) (Large Entity)**

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The fee of \$240 is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0124  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-0124  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

*Signature*

Dated: June 29, 1998

William L. Geary, Jr.  
Reg. No. 35,879  
Samsung Electronics  
1200 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W.  
Suite 550  
Washington, DC 20036

(202) 887-5666

CC:

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on [redacted] with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

*Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence*

*Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence*

May-01-01 10:43am From:SKJERVEN MORRIL MACPHERSON

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Also, charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-2386.

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David Millers  
Attorney for Applicant(s)

4-22-99  
Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,

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David T. Millers  
Attorney for Applicant(s)  
Reg. No. 37,396

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Attorney for Applicants

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231**FILE COPY**

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3. PTO Form 1449 - listing 6 cited references (1 page); and,
4. Copies of European Search Report and 6 References.

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March 21, 2000

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

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**REQUEST FOR STATUS OF APPLICATION**

Sir:

Applicants request a report on the status of the "Request for Withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment" filed April 22, 1999 in the above-identified patent application and a further report on the status of the application. If a telephone call would expedite this request, please call Attorney for Applicants shown below at (408) 453-9200.

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